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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application (including Specification, Claims, Sequence Listing (if applicable) and Abstract, 49 pages) of:

Inventor(s): **Dirk Inze, Gerda Segers, Lieven De Veylder and Vladimir Mironov**

For : **METHOD AND MEANS FOR MODULATING PLANT CELL CYCLE
PROTEINS AND THEIR USE IN PLANT CELL GROWTH CONTROL**

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of prior application Serial No. 09/381,150

Prior application information: Examiner : **C. Collins**
Art Unit : **1638**

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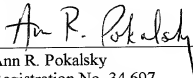
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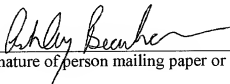
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In accordance with 37 CFR § 1.821(f), this statement confirms that the information recorded in computer readable form submitted herewith is identical to the written Sequence Listing appearing on pages **43-46** of the subject application as submitted herewith.

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